

## PEABODY SCORES THE RED CROSS

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LYNCHING FUND WILL RE-  
FUSE DIVIDENDS TO RED  
CROSS BECAUSE OF ITS COLOR  
LINE AND GIVE THEM TO N.  
A. A. C. P.—A CONSISTENT  
STAND

From the Boston Guardian  
To the Editor of the Guardian,  
Sir:  
I have just read with regret, but  
without surprise, that the Red Cross  
persists in carrying out the odious  
unreasonable and unjust policy of dis-  
crimination against the Negro.  
Blames Wilson Administration Be-  
cause of its hostility to Colored  
Americans

\*This is, of course, because their mean discrimination finds much favor among, and is, indeed, I believe, dictated by the highest political authorities of this country, who seem to be so eager to make the world safe for the poor, the weak and the helpless—under the name of democracy—abroad, that the murder of a hundred innocent Negroes at home has not yet been observed or commented on; much less has any expression of regret been heard, where most of it is demanded.

Within the last week, I have had many requests to aid the Red Cross. I have decided to refuse to do so, because of its attitude towards the Negro.

Red Cross Dividends to N. A. A. C. P.

As, however, I have no desire to keep the Red Cross dividends—so-called—which I am receiving, I here pledge myself to present to the National Association.

**A Word on the Guardian** -  
I consider the "Guardian" an excellent publication, but one which

Very respectfully,  
Philip H. Peabody.

July 9, 1917, N. H.

(Editor Trotter takes special pride in the fact that his fight in 1903 first brought Mr. Peabody into the cause of the race. Editor Trotter also thinks the N. A. A. C. P. branches in view of Mr. Peabody's stand should refuse to join for the Red Cross.)

Editor.

**CARONDELET NEWS**

Rev. G. A. Conway was with us Sunday and spoke to a very appreciative congregation at Corinthian. At night the Young People gave a Sacred Con-

The Literary is doing some good work every Friday night: Mr. Hy. C. Carter was with us last Friday, and

Miss Lucy Swartz entertained at her home last Monday night with a party. Don't forget the Cofinathan-Quinn Chapel N. Y. picnic in Casadelet Park Saturday, August 11, '17.

Mrs. Hessie C. Newsome returned home after spending five months in Hot Springs. She is looking fine and some one is all smiles.

Mrs. J. R. Steele is the house guest of her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.

K. Steele of Detroit Mich.  
Master Thomas Johnson, who has been a patient at the City Hospital had his right arm amputated and is expected to return home soon. The 'Hoys' Band wishes him well.

Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins both are rejoicing over a visit from the stork leaving a fine boy. Good luck to mother and nag.

A lawn party was given by the "Ladies Wonder Club" at Mrs. Idell Watkins, 6410 N. Broadway.

Miss Z. H. Shouder, one of the Summer School teachers is seriously ill at this writing having undergone an operation on her throat. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

One of the prettiest parties of the season given on the South Side was that given by Miss Thelma C. Harris at her

beastful home on Louisiana Av., overlooking Grand and Kingshighway Blvd., in honor of the Misses H. and D. Lee of Boston. The affair was a Japanese party. Japanese lanterns and butterflys formed the decorations. Sixty-seven of St. Louis' Society Buda and Ladies were present. They were served in the fragrant breeze on the lawn.

**ICE CREAM FESTIVAL**  
There will be an ice cream festival at the Christian Spiritual Church 2727 Lawton Ave., the fourth Friday evening in July. All spiritual congrega-

persons are invited to be present. A silver offering will be taken for the benefit of the building fund. J. S. Weatherford, rector; M. Owens, secretary.











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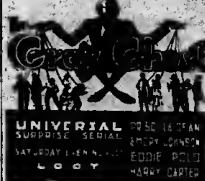
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**WEDNESDAY,**

**AUG. 1.**



## AT THE MOVIE AIRDOME THE "GRAY GHOST" IS COMING

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Charles Turpin, proprietor of the Booker Washington Theatre has established a reputation as a photography center, which was indorsed by the great throng that crowded the theatre for hours last Monday night to see the serial of "The Voice On The Wire."

Commencing next Monday, Mr. Turpin will introduce another mystery "The Gray Ghost." One would naturally shudder at the very name, but this does not begin to reveal the startling climaxes that are in store for the picture fans.

This play is taken from the famous Saturday Evening Post serial story, "Loot." It is full of thrilling situations, gripping scenes, marvellous action of extraordinary incidents, and powerful color. Its startling scenes and intensely dramatic incidents lead up to a tremendous climax, that holds the audience spellbound.

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**DRAKE-WALKER'S BOM BAY GIRLS COMING TO THE E. W. MONDAY**

Drake-Walker's Bom Bay Girls are coming to the Booker Washington Theatre next Monday July 30 for a two weeks engagement. This is the largest and best-expensive attraction ever booked at Mr. Turpin's popular house. The company consists of 17 players and carries its own band and orchestra. The following special admission prices have been decided on for this engagement only. Children 10 cents, adults 15 cents, reserved section 20 cents, box section 25.

A band concert will be given in front of the theatre each evening. A new Monday schedule has been adopted at the theatre for several weeks. The house opens at 5 p. m. and the first show starts at 5:30. Four instead of the usual three shows are given each evening.

Next Monday will see the first episode of the thrilling serial photograph "The Gray Ghost" and the following Monday Official War Pictures will be run on Wednesday.



Edith Hall in "The Gray Ghost"

**ANOTHER THRILLER COMING TO THE BOOKER WASHINGTON**



Photo by Maxwell

James Beall, manager of the French Lick Club, French Lick Springs, Ind., and formerly of Houshelt Ky., was in St. Louis last week, the guest of his sister Mrs. Mattie Temple, 2811 Sheridan Ave. Mr. Beall made many friends while here, and met many old ones from his former home who regretted his short stay and hope he will return again soon. He is a young man with a prosperous future. He left for Chicago where he will visit before returning to assume his duties.

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Dorothy Phillips will be seen at the Booker Washington Theatre the week of August 15 in her extraordinary film photograph "Hell Morgan's Girl."

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## AMUSEMENTS AND SPORT THEATRES

By H. T. M.

**EXCELLENT BILL AT THE BOOKER WASHINGTON THEATRE**

An excellent bill with unusual variety is on the board at the Booker Washington Theatre. The character of a tramp, opens the show with a parody on "Yankee Doodle Hickey Dicks." It follows with a humorous story of an ardent and close with a parody on "What Do You Want To Make Those Eyes At Me For," with dance, appearing in a grotesque female costume. The act goes well.

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